



PTO/SB/08 (2-92)

Sheet 1 of 1

Form PTO/SB/08 (2-92)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION  
IN AN APPLICATION

(Use several sheets if necessary)

Docket Number 273012012500

Application Number 10/072,272

Applicant

H. Andrew STRONG, et al.

Filing Date February 6, 2002

Group Art Unit 161

Mailing Date December 6, 2002

RECEIVED  
DEC 16 2002  
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Ref. No.	Date	Document No.	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	1.	08/1999	5,935,942	Zeimer	514	63	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Ref. No.	Date	Document No.	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation YES NO

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

(including author, title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

Examiner Initials	Ref. No.	Title
	2.	Costa, R. et al. "Photodynamic Therapy with Indocyanine Green for Occult Subfoveal Choroidal Neovascularization Caused by Age-Related Macular Degeneration" [Abstract] Current Eye Research 23(4):271-275 (2001)
	3.	Husain, D. et al "Photodynamic Therapy of Exudative Age-Related Macular Degeneration" Seminars in Ophthalmology 12(1):14-25 (1997)
	4.	Macular Photocoagulation Study Group. "Subfoveal Neovascular Lesions in Age-Related Macular Degeneration" Arch. Ophthalmol 109:1242-1257 (1991)
	5.	Treatment of Age-Related Macular Degeneration with Photodynamic Therapy (TAP) Study Group. "Photodynamic Therapy of Subfoveal Choroidal Neovascularization" Arch. Ophthalmol. 117(10):1329-1345 (1999)
	6.	Verteporfin in Photodynamic Therapy Study Group: "Verteporfin Therapy of Subfoveal Choroidal Neovascularization in Age-Related Macular Degeneration: Two-Year Results of a Randomized Clinical Trial Including Lesions with Occult with No Classic Choroidal Neovascularization: Verteporfin in Photodynamic Therapy Report 2" American Journal of Ophthalmology 131(5):541-560 (2001)
	7.	Wormald, R. et al. "Photodynamic Therapy for Neovascular Age-Related Macular Degeneration" [Abstract] Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews (Online: Update Software) England 2000 2:CD002030 (2000)

EXAMINER:

DATE CONSIDERED:

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not the citation conforms with MPEP 609. Draw a line through the citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with next communication to applicant.